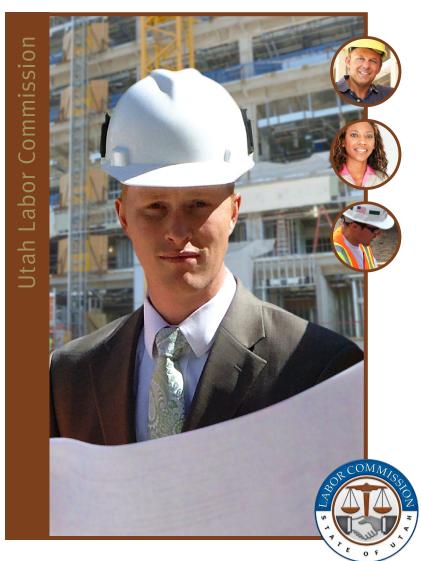
# Utah OSHA Private Sector Consultation and Education Services

(at no cost)





# **Prevention is Key**

- ► How safe is your workplace?
- ▶ Where do you look for the latest safety & health information?
- ► What types of measures are you taking to ensure that your workers remain healthy and productive?

### Who We Are

Utah OSHA Consultation and Education Services provides confidential on-site safety and health services, at no charge to Utah businesses with 250 employees or less throughout the state or 500 employees or less corporate-wide. Although the primary emphasis of Utah OSHA Consultation and Education Services is small/high-hazard businesses, we welcome the opportunity to assist employers of all sizes.

*Our goal is simple:* Prevent work related injury and illness and help your business develop a positive and lasting safety and health culture.

### What We Do:

- ► Help you recognize safety and health hazards in your workplace
- ▶ Suggest options for correcting safety and health hazards identified
- ► Recommend different kinds of help available should you need further assistance
- ► Conduct air and noise sampling to assess potential health concerns
- ▶ Provide a written report summarizing findings and recommendations
- ► Help you develop and maintain an effective safety and health program
- ► Provide training and education for you and your employees

We provide this service on a no-charge basis with a non-penalty approach.

### **Benefits**

- ▶ Reduce or eliminate worker accidents and the associated costs.
- ► Lower workers' compensation insurance costs
- ► Employees who see that their employer actively cares about their safety and health are happier and more productive while demonstrating higher job satisfaction, less absenteeism and more job loyalty



# **Four Steps to Success**

# Step #1 | Request

Please contact us by phone, fax or e-mail us to request a no-cost consultation, or visit <a href="https://www.laborcommission.utah.gov">www.laborcommission.utah.gov</a>.

### Step #2 | On-Site Visit

Our visit begins with an opening conference and continues with a walkthrough survey of your workplace, a safety and health program assessment, and a closing conference to discuss the findings and recommendations.

### Step #3 | Evaluation and Report

Following the visit, we will evaluate all collected information and we will send you a report detailing all findings and recommendations, including ways to improve your workplace safety management and health system.

### Step #4 | Correction of Serious Hazards

You and the consultant will work together to set a correction due date to eliminate serious hazards. Additional consultation visits during this period are available as needed or requested to help maintain a safe and healthful working environment for your employees.



### Private Sector SHARP

The Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program (SHARP) rewards small private sector employers who operate an exemplary safety and health management system. Acceptance into Private Sector SHARP by Utah OSHA is an achievement that will distinguish your business as a model for workplace safety and health. As a Private Sector SHARP business, you will join a select group of employers who have voluntarily taken the steps to ensure the health and safety of their employees.



# To Participate in SHARP

Contact us by phone, fax, e-mail or visit <u>www.laborcommission.utah.gov</u>. We will provide you with no-cost guidance and technical assistance to help your business become a SHARP business.



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